

I have been appalled at the FCC's giveaway of America's broadcasting regulations starting with the 95 telecommunications act and the subsequent regulations that have been either gutted or ignored in the time following. The consolidation of ownership of our broadcast media has had a negative effect of the ability of Americans to receive free and unbiased information.

There is a distinct and obvious conflict of interest created through the deregulation within and among the corporations that are participating in the broadcast media buy up. Further deregulation will only amplify the problems we have now. I see the proposal of eliminating the cross-media ownership regulations as another travesty. I am disgusted that our government officials are so quick and easy to sell off the people's assets to the narrow corporate interests in the name of progress and globalization. I urge you to keep ownership and regulation of the airwaves in the hands of the people of America. Our country will be better off and stronger for it.

Sincerely,
Bill Bryson